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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE TO THE
PRESIDENT FROM AFGHAN CHAIRMAN OF THE
REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL AND PRIME MINISTER TARAKI

1. FYI FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF THE MESSAGE FROM CHAIRMAN
OF THE REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL AND PRIME MINISTER TARAKI TO
PRESIDENT CARTER:

QUOTE: IT GIVES ME PLEASURE TO EXTEND ON BEHALF OF THE
GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF AFGHANISTAN AND MYSELF, SINCERE
FELICITATIONS TO YOU MR. PRESIDENT AND TO THE GOVERNMENT
AND PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES, ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF
AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE.

WITH MY BEST WISHES FOR YOUR PERSONAL WELLBEING MR.
PRESIDENT, AND FOR THE GREATER PROSPERITY AND HAPPINESS OF
THE FRIENDLY PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
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REPUBLIC OF AFGHANISTAN. END QUOTE

2. FOLLOWING RESPONSE FROM PRESIDENT CARTER SHOULD BE
DELIVERED TO THE CHAIRMAN:
QUOTE: DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN

PEOPLE, I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE AS WE
CELEBRATE THE ANNIVERSARY OF OUR INDEPENDENCE. WE VERY
MUCH APPRECIATE YOUR THOUGHTFUL EXPRESSION OF GOOD WISHES.
SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER. END QUOTE

3. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT
WISHES TO DO SO.

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